

Draft Supplemental Work Plan – Second Draft Environmental Impact Statement
For the
LOST RIVER SUBWATERSHED
of the
POTOMAC RIVER WATERSHED
Hardy County, West Virginia
West Virginia Second Congressional District

Responsible Federal Agency: United States Department of Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service

Responsible Local Sponsors: Potomac Valley Conservation District
Hardy County Commission
West Virginia State Conservation Committee

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Forest Service

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Abstract: The Draft Supplemental Work Plan and Second Draft Environmental Impact Statement describes a change in purpose for Site 16, the 4th of five planned impoundments, in the Lost River Subwatershed Plan. This document also updates information relative to Site 23, the last planned impoundment in the subwatershed plan. The purpose of the project is flood damage reduction, watershed protection, and water supply. The project was authorized in 1974 under Public Law 78-534, as amended. The plan has been supplemented three times. Alternative plans developed in this supplement are Alternative 1 and the No Action Future Without Project Alternative. Alternative 1, the Recommended Alternative, proposes the construction of Site 16 as a multiple purpose water supply and flood control site and the deletion of Site 23.